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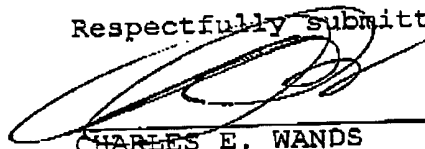
The notice of allowable subject matter in Claims 2-5, 7-9 and 11-13 is gratefully appreciated.

In an effort to expedite prosecution of the application, applicants have placed the objected to claims in self-contained form. As a result of these amendments, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is now in condition for allowance. A notice to that effect is, accordingly, earnestly solicited.

Should any minor informalities need to be addressed, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below.

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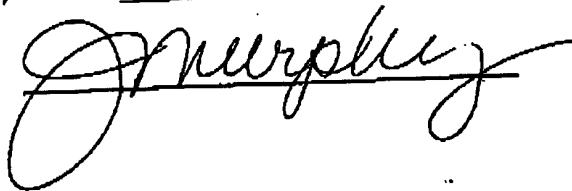
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